



Biography of:
RICHARD L. GUEBERT JR.
President
Illinois Farm Bureau

Richard Guebert Jr., of Ellis Grove, is the 15th president of the Illinois Farm Bureau® (IFB®) and serves as full-time executive officer. He is also president of COUNTRY Financial, Illinois Agricultural Service Company, and the IAA Foundation.

Prior to his election as president, Guebert served as vice president of the Illinois Farm Bureau from 2003-2013. As vice president, Guebert also served as chairman of the COUNTRY/IFB Governance Committee. In 2007, he was appointed by the IFB president to serve as chairman of a Floodplain Study Group.

Guebert, his wife Nancy and his son, Kyle, operate a farm where they grow corn, soybeans, and wheat.

In 2001, he served on the IFB Co-op Task Force and completed the *Agricultural Leaders of Tomorrow* leadership training. Guebert was named a Master Farmer in 2006 by *Prairie Farmer* magazine.